

Triage of Chemical Agent Casualty Course

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10/1/2006 - 6/22/2007

Location
**Internet Enduring Material
Aberdeen Proving Grounds, MD**

General Continuing Medical Education Information

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Statement of Need

The needs are based on DOD Medical Readiness Strategic Plan which states: a) Medical Management of Triage of Chemical Agent Casualties Course shall be a tri-service course and expanded to meet the tri-service deployment requirements. b) The Medical Management of Triage of Chemical Agent Casualties Course shall be required for the selected primary care physicians (ER, GMO, peds, family practice, and internal medicine), Pas, nurse practitioners, special force medics, and independent duty corpsmen.

Learning Objectives

1. Apply the fundamentals of chemical agent terminology to the assessment and triage of chemical agent casualties.
2. Apply the fundamentals of mechanism of action to the assessment and triage of chemical agent casualties.
3. Apply the fundamentals of pathophysiology to the assessment and triage of chemical agent casualties.
4. Apply the fundamentals of consideration of patient circumstances to the assessment and triage of chemical agent casualties.

Intended Audience

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Agenda

<u>PRESENTATION TITLE</u>	<u>DATE/TIME</u>
Principles of Triage (Charles Hurst)	10/1/2006 08:00-09:00
The Triage Process Applied to Chemical Agent Casualties (Charles Hurst)	10/1/2006 09:00-10:00
Decontamination and Protection from Exposure (Charles Hurst)	10/1/2006 10:00-10:30
Module Assessment (Charles Hurst)	10/1/2006 10:30-11:00

Faculty Presenters

Charles Hurst

Dr. Hurst is board certified in dermatology. He is chief of the Chemical Casualty Care Division. He also retains a part-time dermatology practice at the Pentagon Health Clinic.

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